

# PUBLIC LEDGER



SIXTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1897.

ONE CENT.

**STORY CIRCULATION**  
**LARGEST IN THE CITY.**

### Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "hookers" any more than a merchant can afford to give his customers free goods or blood. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

### The Continued Calls

Upon The Ledger for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

### For Notices of Marriages

Marriages, banns, or other public entertainments where a fee is charged, and for obituary notices, and notices of respect, etc. The Ledger will charge five cents a line, and hereafter this will be the invariable rule. This, however, is ever.

### Does Not Include

Notices of Lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed two lines.

### Amputation of Disputes

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for the Ledger in the Louisville is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for subsequent insertions. A customer orders a five-line ad inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two months—55 times—the bill is \$13.50. When he finds it out, there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by a cry feeling. "Let's have a settlement hereafter. Let's have a definite agreement at the outset and the termination will be pleasant all around."

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 35, and send it in.

**HERE AND THERE**

If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. E. H. Noebel is at Owingville.

Mr. C. B. Clift of Cincinnati will come up to visit relatives.

Miss Nannie Gabby and Bessie Childs are visiting at Lewisburg.

Mr. J. I. Salisbury left yesterday for Glen Springs where he will spend several weeks.

E. Stanley Lee returned home this morning from a visit to relatives at Ironton.

Miss Jennie Adamson of Carlisle is the pleasant guest of Miss Ella and Alta Stockdale.

Miss Ada Calhoun is at home from a pleasant visit to Miss Mayne Brown of Portsmouth.

Miss Kate and Belle Watson and Miss Mable Woodworth are sojourning at Escutopia Springs.

Mr. R. M. Skinner has been at Flemingsburg this week visiting her son, Dr. R. M. Skinner.

Miss Dora Ann of Danville, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Ballenger, returned home yesterday.

Mr. A. M. J. Cochran and sons, who have been spending the summer in the West, are now at Colorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Baird of Carlisle and Miss Laura Mitchell of this city left Tuesday for the Nashville Exposition.

Alta Truman Browning of Cincinnati is spending her vacation in this city with her aunt, Mrs. George M. Crawford of Lee street.

Mrs. Rebecca Orledge of Cincinnati, who has been visiting Mrs. Fred Hiesinger of West Second street, left yesterday for Ironton to visit Mrs. W. H. Vancey.

Miss Nellie Chapin left this morning for California, her native state. She will enter the University of California at Berkeley, opposite San Francisco for a two-year course of study.

### RAILROAD MEETINGS.

Ripley Citizens Today Will Meet to Start the Project Nowing.

The citizens of Ripley will today hold two meetings, one at 3 p. m. and the other at 8 p. m. in the interest of the Black Diamond Railway.

There will be present from abroad, Hon. William Kirkby, President; Captain W. M. Crawford, Treasurer; Colonel Albert E. Boone, General Manager of the Black Diamond System of Railways, and in addition General J. C. J. Williams of Knoxville, Tenn., all of whom came to this city for the cause, will attend to urge upon the people to give their aid in the construction of this line of railroads.

The people in that part of Ohio and in the lower section of Mason county have signified their willingness to accept the proposition Colonel Boone offered them, and the meetings will doubtless be a success.

It is to be hoped that work will soon begin in the opening up of the system, and that the citizens of towns where a call is extended will do all in their power to secure the proposed road.

### MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

**THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.**  
WHITE STREAK—FAIR;  
BLUE—RAIN OF SNOW;  
WIND-BLOCK ANY—WILL WARMER  
BLOW.  
IF BLOW'S REPEATS—COLDEN' WILL  
BLOW.  
Unless black's shown—no change  
we'll see.  
The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

Parks Hill Campmeeting began today.

Miss Myrtle Filson is very ill at her home on Forest avenue.

Mr. Edward Fagan died at Chatham, Blackens county, aged 74.

We haven't heard of any ducks or geese being drowned by yesterday's rain.

James F. Renner, a fruit tree peddler of Aberdeen, was sent to the Dayton Jail last week.

Mr. Frank X. Froba, a prominent citizen of Ripley, died at that place of dropsy, aged 47.

Jewel Rice, a graduate of the Flemingburg Graded School, will teach at Wedons this session.

Mr. Ben T. Smith is now at Flemingsburg laying the foundation for the residence of Mr. John P. McCartney.

Miss Jessie Judd has been confined to her home on West Second street for several days with an attack of fever.

Mason Hord, a son of Abner Hord and a native of this county, died a few days since at Pittsburgh, Mo., aged 74.

Mrs. Dr. Cartmell met with a very painful accident yesterday. A door slammed, catching her hand and severely bruising it.

Mr. Joe Kindig shipped seven good horses, purchased at Brookville and Maysville this week, to his home at York, Pa.

The trial of Ed. H. Robinson, for the killing of Jno. Jones, will take place before Judge Hutchins at 10 o'clock this morning.

A telegram this morning from Dr. Hill of Vanceburg announced the sudden illness of Rev. M. V. P. Yeaman at that place last night.

Called meeting of Friendship Rebekah Lodge No. 43 Friday evening, August 6th, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

The members of Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society are requested to meet at their Hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers and other business of special importance.

JOHN T. SHORT, President.

The funeral of Samuel Brooks, the youngest child of Mrs. and J. M. Scott, who died yesterday morning, will occur this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence, services conducted by Rev. E. W. Harrop, Pastor of the M. E. Church, Interment at the Maysville Cemetery. All friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, but the burial will be private.

Those who attended the Park Theater last night were treated to a droll and vaudeville entertainment. While all were good, the bright and sparkling was Mr. Lew Secker in his burnt cork specialties. Mr. Secker is one of the best Negro impersonators it has been our pleasure to see for many a day. Tonight will be an entire change of program, and everybody should avail themselves of the opportunity of passing a couple of hours pleasantly at this favorite resort.

### Good-Bye to High Prices on Groceries.

How would you like to save 40 cents on every dollar spent for Groceries? If so, notice prices below, bring the cash and we'll do the rest:  
Best Leaf Lard at 6c. a pound.  
Two packages best Roasted Coffee 25c.  
Fresh Rolled Oats at 6c. a package.  
Caramel Drip Syrup 2 1/2c. a gallon.  
Good Vinegar at 10c. a gallon.  
Three bars good Laundry Soap for 5c.; one box Buttermilk Soap for 5c.  
A good Broom for 5c.  
A good Washboard at 10c.  
Langdon's fine Coca Starch at 5c. a package.  
Salt Bacon 6 1/2c. a pound.  
Smoked Bacon 7c. a pound.  
Lump Starch three pounds for 10c.  
Lamp Chimney 1c.  
These are only a few of our prices. All other goods are sold accordingly. We have come to stay, and guarantee full satisfaction in every respect or will gladly refund your money. Yours for cash,  
H. E. LANGDON & CO.,  
Nesbitt's old stand, Sutton street, near Second street.

### YESTERDAY'S STORM.

Much Damage Resulted From the Wind and Rain.

### QUEER FEARS OF LIGHTNING.

One of the heaviest storms of the season swept over Maysville yesterday afternoon, and for about an hour the rain literally came down in sheets.

Together with the heavy rain, the wind and lightning were unusually severe, and much damage was done in the city and county.

A number of the cellars of Second street business houses were flooded, the gutters all along the main streets being much too small to carry off the immense volume of water.

Lightning struck the lightning-wires on Mrs. Thos. Lorry's residence on Plum street, completely tearing them off the house.

The large smokestack on the Magnolia Flouring Mills was blown down.

A large tree in the rear of the Clerk's office was blown down, as well as innumerable ones throughout the city.

The new brick gutters were wholly incapable of carrying off the excess of precipitation, which was way above the normal.

Lightning struck the residence of Mrs. Jennie Austin in the Sixth Ward, East of Baseball Park, and made a circle of one of the rooms, tearing off the plastering and scattering pictures over the floor. Not a single occupant of the house was injured, however.

Mr. Robert Pickle lost several valuable fruit trees in the rear of his residence on East Third street.

A great deal of the corn at the County Infirmary was blown down and broken, while the water from the creek ran through there overflooded and ruined considerable vegetables.

Trees on the lawns of Messrs. H. H. Collins, W. H. Frederick and John Duley in the Sixth Ward were blown down and a great deal of shrubbery destroyed.

At the Electric Park the wind ripped the tent and tore down the dressing room of the Theater, while the rain did every thing but carry the Park away.

In the West End, the house of Mr. Allan D. Cole situated on the German town pike, was slightly damaged, a couple of doors being torn off.

The lightning struck the Telephone wires a number of times, threw down the drops at the Exchange, but beyond the crossing of the wires in a number of places no damage resulted.

In the county the crops were flooded and broken by the heavy wind and rain.

### Eyesight

Is of such great value that one ought to take more than ordinary precautions to guard against every possible trouble.

If you have even a remote suspicion that there is any trouble with your eyes it will be for your own best interests to have your vision tested and trouble, if any, removed.

Very simple troubles may develop serious results if not properly treated.

Ordinary failing eyesight receives our most careful attention, both as to glasses and frames.

It's just as important to have the right frame as the right glass, and from our large stock we can give you the correct thing in either Gold, Silver or Steel.

We make no charge for examinations, and if yours is a case requiring the services of an oculist we will frankly tell you so.

**BALLENGER,**  
Jeweler.

South Side  
Second Street.

Educate Your Bowels With Cathartic.  
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever.  
No 35c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Yesterday it rained.

Parla Green that is guaranteed to kill for sale at Clemenow's Drugstore.

When you see Murphy, the Jeweler's stock of Diamonds and Gold Watches you will be convinced that he carries the largest stock. When you learn his prices you will be convinced that his prices are lower. He never misrepresents goods, all are warranted.

**7 Cents...**  
**CASH**  
FOR  
**Kanawha COAL.**  
Delivered to any part of city.  
Phone 69. **WILLIAM DAVIS.**

### QUiet WEDDING.

Marriage of Miss Lizzie Shepard and Mr. Robert Lane a Pretty Affair.

The society event of the season was the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Shepard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shepard, to Mr. Robert Lane, a most worthy young man of our city, at the home of the bride on East Fifth street last night.

Promptly at 8:30 o'clock the ceremony which made these two loving hearts one was performed, surrounded by their many friends, who had assembled to witness this happy event.

The bride, who is beautiful of face, looked more than charming in her soft bridal robe of organdie, while the lovely plants, cut flowers and soft light of candles and beautiful lamps added to a scene never to be forgotten by their many friends.

The presents received were handsome and numerous, showing the high appreciation in which this couple is held.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane will leave today for a short bridal tour, when they will commence housekeeping at their future home on Owingville.

May they have a happy journey through life is the wish of their many friends.

**MISSSES' and CHILDREN'S**  
**Chocolate**  
**HIGH SHOES.**  
**J. HENRY PECOR.**

To Cure Constipation Forever.  
This Cathartic Candy Cathartic, 10c. or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Mr. W. C. Sadler of this city has been granted a pension of \$8 a month from March 1st, 1897. Mr. John Walsh was his attorney.

Cherry Grove Campmeeting, held in a grove a few miles North of Flemingsburg, will begin August 29th, and continue to September 5th.

The old reliable Ripley (O.) Fair, that pays its premiums in gold before the stock leaves the ring, will be held August 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th, 1897.

Two houses belonging to Mr. T. J. Hinton and two estates belonging to Mrs. Kate Shouse and Dr. Aiken, were destroyed by fire at Flemingsburg Sunday afternoon.

Dr. H. K. Adamson of this city was elected Secretary of the Northeastern Kentucky Medical Association at the recent meeting at Olympian Springs. The next meeting will be held in Cincinnati.

DeKalb Lodge, I. O. O. F. of this city will probably give \$200 in aid of the Oddfellows Widows and Orphans Home of Louisville. It is located in Maysville, DeKalb Lodge, may give a cool \$5,000 herself, besides securing liberal subscriptions from citizens who are willing to do something for Maysville.

**8100—Rescard—8100.**  
The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for testimonials. Address: **F. J. CHERRY & CO., Toledo, O.**

Sold by druggists, 10 cents.

**We Must Make Room**

In anticipation of a big fall trade, and realizing that goods pertaining to our lines will advance, a great many have already, we bought early and largely. We are already beginning to receive shipments. Moreover it will not be long before our great line of Men's shows will come in, so you see we must make room. Now, if you will look in our windows and see the line of Suits we are offering at \$10 you will assist us in making room. All of our Fine Cheviot Suits, in Cheeka, Plaid, Stripes, etc. Suits that we sold at \$15, \$15.50 and \$15.75 in this sale.

No house in the state ever did or ever will offer a line of Suits like these for the price,

**:- \$10.00!**

It is the greatest sacrifice sale we ever made, but as our patrons will be benefited, and it secures us more money, we will only be too glad to have you take advantage of this sale. We have no room to quote prices on our more medium grades, but the entire stock will be sold at proportionate prices.

Please bear in mind this: No Suit will be sent out on approval. No Suit will be charged. Only

**:-: CASH!**

Will buy the goods during this sale. Money, however, will be cheerfully returned if goods don't suit upon home examination.

**H. ECHINGER & CO.**  
THE LEADERS IN  
GOOD CLOTHING.

**THE BEE HIVE.**

**GREAT SALE OF Ladies' Shirt Waists**

15 dozen Ladies' Waists, sizes 32 and 34 only, regular 50c. quality, choice now 19c.

40 dozen Ladies' Waists, some separate white collars and cuffs, materials of fine Lappett Lawns and Percales, choice now 39c.

All our fine \$1 Waists, fancy Organdies and Lappets, choice now 59c.

All our \$1 50, \$1 75 and \$5 Waists, choice now 98c.

**Rosenau Bros.**  
KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

**PARK THEATER!**  
THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM \*\*\*\*\*  
Headed by Lew Secker and Ada Wilson; M. E. Fulton, Miss Virginia Adams, Nelson and Wilson, Laurence Russell, James Murray.  
Change of program tonight this week.  
Frank Wilson, Stage Manager, James Murray, Musical Director, WILLIAM H. PRINCE, Manager.

**FRIDAY'S CASH SALE.**

Money's Saved When Spent at Hunt's.

### MIRRORS.

What woman can resist the sweetness of her own reflection? We came across some Hand Mirrors the other day. We know Maysville's beautiful women need to more fully appreciate their charms. Beveled-edge, fine triple-plate, hard wood, polished handle and back. Three sizes; 10c, 12 1/2c. Worth double. Buy now and have Mirrors to break.

### HUCK TOWELS.

Grass bleached, untainted by chemicals, size 20X40, pure linen, colored borders, hemmed, 10c. Careful housewives and hotel men who use liberal size towels will make the most of the occasion.

**D. HUNT & SON.**

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## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Election Tuesday, November 3d.  
Circuit Judge, **WILLIAM G. DEARING** of Fleming.  
Commonwealth's Attorney, **EDWARD LAUM** of Bracken.  
Representative, **JOHN Y. RICE**.  
County Clerk, **HAMLET C. SHARP**.  
County Judge, **MORRIS C. HUTCHINS**.  
County Clerk, **WILLIAM D. COCHRAN**.  
County Attorney, **GEORGE W. ADAMS**.  
Sergeant, **GEORGE H. OWENS**.  
Deputy, **H. G. BULLOCK**.  
Superintendent of Schools, **MISS MARY P. CHAMBERS**.  
Justice, **JOHN JOHNSON**.  
Clerk, **O. E. COLLINS**.  
FOR JUDICIAL OF THE PEACE, **First District—William N. Howe.**

On account of the rush of imports for weeks previous to the passage of the Dingley Bill, in order to escape the increased tariff the current receipts from customs fall far short of the average.—*Courier-Journal.*

What's that? Thought you'd nas been saying all along that the "furriner" didn't pay the tariff tax!

EVEN Nature seems to have joined in the effort to convince the silver advocates of their mistake; increased gold productions in every direction joining with good crops in this country and good prices to prove that property is not dependent upon the free coinage of silver at a false rate.

Did it ever occur to you that General GRANT was a remarkable man, that he was always "struck the nail on the head," so to speak. It was he who said, "The way to get rid of a bad law is to enforce it!" and it looks as though President McKINLEY was acting on this principle in regard to the Civil Service Law.

The Republican party is a business party. It passed the Tariff Bill more quietly after the inauguration of President McKINLEY than any party ever did after a Presidential inauguration since the time of WASHINGTON, and it would have made it a law much sooner but for the delay made by the Democrats in the Senate.

The Gold Democrats are extremely active in every part of the country. Their recent meeting in New York indicated great vigor and determination and very strong support from all parts of the United States. It is quite apparent that the Sound Money wing of the Democratic party is gaining rapidly upon the free coinageists.

"This case of the farmers has certainly been hard for several years past. It has been a principal cause of discontent, and the faithful mother of wild demagogical schemes. With that betterment which is now so surely approaching, the occupation of the demagogue and the Utopian dreamer will be gone," says the Democratic New York World.

THE Sugar Trust scream which the Democratic and Populist orators and newspapers emitted on the passage of the Dingley Bill is heard no longer. It has become perfectly apparent now to those who have made any study of the matter that the new Law wipes out the advantages which the Sugar Trust had under the Wilson Law.

Fire Insurance—John C. Everett.  
Change of program at Park Theater tonight.

If you want to buy a privilege for Ripley (O.) Fair, August 24th to 27th, 1897, or want a Premium List or other information, write to L. H. WILLIAMS, Sec.

Everybody Says So.  
Cacacoate Candy Cane, the most wonderful medicinal discovery of the age, peppermint and refreshing to the taste, and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, clearing the entire system, blood and cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. Candy, 10c, 25c, 50c. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

**OUR SMALLER COLLEGES.**  
In Many Respects They are Doing Better Work Than the Larger Institutions.

"There are a few striking facts about the small American college," writes Edward W. Bok in the August Ladies' Home Journal. "One striking fact is that sixty per cent. of the brilliant Americans who have risen to prominence and success are graduates of colleges whose names are scarcely known outside of their own states. It is a fact, also, that during the past ten years the majority of the new and best methods of learning have emanated from the smaller colleges, and have been adopted later by the larger ones. Because a college happens to be unknown two hundred miles from the place of its location does not always mean that the college is not worthy of wider repute. The fact cannot be disputed that the most direct teaching, and necessarily the teaching most productive of good results, is being done in the smaller American colleges.

The names of these colleges may not be familiar to the majority of people, but that makes them none the less worthy of notice. The larger colleges are unquestionably good. But there are smaller colleges just as good, and in some respects, better. Some of the finest educators we have are attached to the faculties of the smaller institutions of learning. Young girls or young men who are being educated at one of the smaller colleges need never feel that the fact of the college being a small one compares them at a disadvantage in comparison with the friend or competitor who has been sent to a larger and better known college. It is not the college, it is the student."

**SECRET DRAWERS.**  
The Cabinet Maker Says They are Still Used by Some Folks.  
New York Press.  
It is not alone in stories that secret drawers, hiding places in furniture and private packages underneath houses are to be found nowadays. They are to be found also in modern New York. According to a cabinet maker, orders are frequently received by him for pieces of furniture made receptacles. He keeps one designer, in fact, whose special work consists in contriving false bottoms and secret drawers for desks, chairs and tables.  
"Rich women," he declared recently, "are the most frequent customers for this sort of work, and I have no doubt it because they cannot trust their servants, or that, if honest, the servants seem too curious about their mistresses' affairs." Interesting coincidences have come to his notice of the sudden failure in business of the husband of some woman who had just received from his shop an ingenious cabinet. The cabinet maker has no doubt that valuable securities were hidden therein from the creditors.  
As for the underground passages, there are more of them in New York than in a medieval town. They are not all secret, but under up-to-date mansions built within ten years there are some which only the owners and the builders know about. Under the Vanderbilt chateau at the place there is one which runs from a point beneath a rear room out to the edge of the street where the exit is concealed by a shaft which looks like a part of the pavement.  
In case of robbery or any other danger within the house escape could be made through this passage to the street, where an alarm could be sounded. Guards at the doors would thus be caught at their posts, not knowing that anyone within the house had passed out of it.

# JAPAN

Wants Uncle Sam to Assume a Contingent Responsibility

In the Matter of Arbitration of Her Differences With Hawaii.

This is one of the essential conditions upon which Japan will consent to arbitration of the Hawaiian question. It is understood that this is one of the essential conditions upon which Japan will consent to arbitration and that the responsibility of it and assumed by the United States, Japan will break off negotiations looking to arbitration and back up her demands by a naval demonstration in Hawaiian waters.

The state department has not yet received any official communication from the Japanese government on the matter, and the administration has not indicated whether or not it will comply with the Japanese demand when made. An official of the Japanese legation said in an interview: "I am not officially in contact concerning the terms of arbitration, but that Japan should ask the United States to take recognition of it and assume an ultimate responsibility for the decisions of the arbitrator as regards Hawaii being carried out seems to be very natural."

"If the United States refuses to give a guarantee it is probable that the arbitration proposition will be dropped. I prefer to entertain a grievance and to indemnify our subjects ourselves than to arbitrate after the indignity of the refusal by the United States of so just a request. Neither the United States nor the Hawaiians can justify their present attitude. Frequent correspondence of late, the pending annexation has figured as a factor in the situation. This should operate in the arbitration case as well."

**FOUR LIVES.**  
Go Out in an Early Morning Fire at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 3.—At 2:45 Thursday morning fire broke out in the kitchen of Adler's restaurant, corner Elm and Charles street, and gained considerable headway before the arrival of the fire department. Four persons were suffocated by smoke, and were taken out by the firemen. The fire was soon put out.

The names of the dead are: Arthur Guth, the bridegroom; Ezra Roush, the best man; Mrs. Nellie Benson, a guest, and Roy Carr, a bartender. The daughter of Mr. Adler was married Tuesday night. When the body of the bride was being carried to the young bride was running to and fro in front of the building, begging those near her to go in and rescue her husband. When the officers appeared she vainly attempted to reach him and was finally rescued with great difficulty. She was finally persuaded, however, to leave, and was taken to the hospital. The body of the bride had been carried to another room when the fire started, and had succeeded in escaping with her life.

**WAR PAINT.**  
Knew a Soldier of Fortune Street in Ohio. Reported to be a liar.  
ANN ARBOR, L. T. Aug. 3.—Horse G. is a stolen steed just from the Indian reservation, reports the Keweenaw and Comanche Indians putting on war paint, and says an officer of the Indian reservation, which he said he saw, is a liar. He says, for whites to enter the reservation.

Keweenaw, L. T. Aug. 3.—A dispatch received here from Fort Pitt, L. T. denies positively the story of the killing of Chief Quash Parker by a band of lawless whites who raided the reservation, which he said he saw, is a liar. He says, for whites to enter the reservation.

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# KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News from All Parts of the Commonwealth.

**C. T. PATTERSON.**  
Huge One-Half Interest in Grummet on a Basis of \$14,000.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 3.—C. T. Patterson has bought of H. P. Headley the latter's half interest in Grummet on a basis of \$14,000. Grummet is by Imp order out of Victoria by Grant and is in his turf career estimated at \$70,000. He won the Melbourne stake, Kentucky futurity, Double Event and Flatthack stakes as a two year old, and the Lakota, St. Louis and Oakley derbies and Himpark stakes this year. Strathmore by Imp order out of Himpark by Knight of St. George, died at McLeansville on Monday afternoon. He was an excellent race horse and one of the very best in America. Among the best of his get were: Belgown, winner of Hark Park stakes; Strathmore, winner of Lexington and Champion and Derby; Myrtle Harkness, Amanda, Ashland, Cash Day, Damien and Sultan, all stake winners.

**LIKE HER BROTHER.**  
A Young Kentucky Girl Was Shot and Instantly Killed at Lexington.  
LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 3.—Miss Carrie Peters, aged 16, of Benson, Franklin county, was accidentally shot and killed by George E. Ketcher, her brother-in-law, in his home on Old Frankfort road, Wednesday morning. The bullet entered Miss Peters' temple, killing her instantly. Two years ago, near Steadmanstown, Ky., Mrs. Peters, brother to the victim of Wednesday's accident, then only 16 years old, was accidentally shot and killed by his uncle, who was shooting at a target on a barn door. The bullet entered his temple, killing him instantly.

**AN EYE WITNESS.**  
Testify That He Saw John Dugan Fire the Fatal Shot.  
BARBOURVILLE DEPOT, Ky., Aug. 3.—In the Dugan case Wednesday the jury was finished and the testimony of the five witnesses for the commonwealth taken, including William Miller, the eye witness who testified that he saw Dugan fire the fatal shot at Colson and at himself. He had shown some interest toward Colson a few minutes before.

On cross examination he was badgered and allowed to bring under the influence of liquor and that he had been indicted for swindling the government in the liquor business and had been in prison for that crime. He was allowed to bring under the influence of liquor and that he had been indicted for swindling the government in the liquor business and had been in prison for that crime.

**SENT TO THE HOSPITAL.**  
LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 3.—Alex. Ingles, aged 13; Boston Kimball, 11, and "Brother" Brown, 9, found a box of shotgun shells. They went to a vacant lot on High street, picked the shells to pieces with a penknife, poured the powder into a hat and touched a match to it. The explosion sent the hospital now, Kimball's face, hands, arms, legs and breast are burned black, Ingles is similarly scorched and is in a serious condition. Brown was badly hurt.

**ABANDON TO LAW MAJORS.**  
ASHLAND, Ky., Aug. 3.—At the monthly meeting of the city council the franchise for the laying of gas mains through the streets and alleys of the city was sold for 20 years to the Big Sandy Oil Co. This means the piping of the product of the Catlet's creek well and others, which are to be laid down through the city. The other big holes produce more than that. The Big Sandy Co. is owned by the Florence Oil Co. of Pittsburgh.

**DISMEMBERED HIS RIVAL.**  
LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 3.—Rand Johnson was dismembered at Baxter's lively stable on Vine street, Wednesday night, by George Daniels. Both men were fighting over a woman, the Minnie Turner, a mulatto girl. She accepted Johnson's company. On Johnson's return she was found lying on the ground, her body was ripped open by a knife. Johnson will die.

**MURDER'S PAROLE.**  
FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 3.—Lewis Miller, who was sentenced to the penitentiary from Boone county for manslaughter, was refused a pardon, Wednesday by Gov. Bradley. Alex. Pace, who was sent up for life for murder from Leslie county, was pardoned on the certificate of the prison physician that he was likely to die at any time.

**LICENSE REVOKED.**  
FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 3.—Insurance Commissioner Comingo issued an order Wednesday revoking the license of John H. Harkness, a life insurance agent to do business in Kentucky, the commissioner having received information that the company was in desperate straits and was endeavoring to reorganize on another basis.

**BART VANCE IS OUT.**  
FRANKFORT, Ky., Aug. 3.—Gov. Bradley has withdrawn the proposed appointment of Bart Vance of Louisville, as assistant mine inspector, and the appointment would go either to George H. Harkness of Hopkins or Charles Logan, of Boyd. The knock-out of Vance was caused by Inspector Stone.

**NEW KENTUCKY POSTMASTER.**  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The following list of new postmasters were appointed for Kentucky Wednesday: Holland, Allen county, G. M. Francis, vice James Shiden, removed to Stockton; Eminence county, J. L. Nichols, vice L. W. Meredith, resigned.

**KILLED HIS SISTER-IN-LAW.**  
LEXINGTON, Ky., Aug. 3.—Miss Carrie Peters, aged 16, of Benson, Franklin county, was accidentally shot and killed by George E. Ketcher, her brother-in-law, who was shooting at a target on a barn door. The bullet entered her temple, killing her instantly.

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Hon. WILLIAM G. DEARING of Fleming county is the Republican candidate for Circuit Judge at the November election, subject to the will of the people, Tuesday, November 23, 1897.

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*What Our Good Friends Have Been Doing  
Since Our Last Report.*

For the last few weeks we have been having a glorious season for the growing crops. But between showers the heat is exceedingly uncomfortable, and if it is with you like it is here I feel very sorry for your coterie as they go through their daily routine of printing us the news. Fans are of but little avail without ice to cool the breezes. Notwithstanding the heat, the thrashers, on account of competition, are rushing to the extent of their ability with the weather. Crops are yielding well in both quantity and quality.

Down in Taylor county, Sunday, a sermon was preached on "The Devil on Parade in Campbellsville" The gentleman with horns must be wearing his good clothes all the time for he has been conspicuous in most every town in Kentucky this season.

## GENERAL REVIEW

WESTERN SECTION

and neighboring districts considerable tobacco in lowlands was drowned out by heavy rains on the night of July 25th. It needs rain on hillsops. Except in a few localities the tobacco worm is discontinuing his ravages. A good crop of oats and hay is being laid away. Pastures where rain occurred are excellent. Irish potatoes are a poor crop. Sorghum is a small crop, but growing nicely. Fruits are generally inferior and scarce.

CENTRAL SECTION.

where. In some districts the crop is said to be the largest and best in years. It is still behind its usual stage for the season, but promises exceedingly well. As in the Western section, the tobacco crop will be a short one. Some reports con-

EASTERN SECTION.

This item comes from Casey county "The Casey County Public Schools have opened from center to circumference and many an urchin is plaining flies to the seat while the teachers look forward to draw day."

**The Truth Nure Enough.**  
Louisville Times.

If the beautiful and picturesque Kentucky river was in Italy, Mammoth Cave in Ireland and French Lick Springs in Germany, Americans would leave this country every summer by the shipload to cross the Atlantic to admire the scenery of the first, crawl down into the next and fill up on Old Pluto at the third. We Americans don't know a good thing when we see it, and don't appreciate a good thing when we've got it.

Means business  
resumption.....It is wise to  
start early.....It is wiser  
never to stop.....  
If it pays to keep your

**FAIR DATES.**

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When This Year's "Agricultural Horse-

Elizabethtown, August 17th—Four days  
Shelbyville, August 24th—Four days  
Shepherdsville, August 24th—Four days  
Madisonville, August 25th—Four days

Hartford, September 30th—Three days.  
Morganfield, October 5th—Five days.

**FLOTSAM—JETSAM—LIGAN!**

The Bonanza passed up for Pomeroy last night.

The Sherley will pass down tonight from Pomeroy.

the strike is not doing the good to dealers that they expected. At Pittsburgh there are 7,000,000 bushels afloat. Another feature discussed is the big output of the West Virginia fields. Four years ago West Virginia cut no figure in the lake trade, but to-day the miners of that state

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